

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY DOHA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 2610

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DEPT FOR NEA/ARP, A/AID AND SER/CFC

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAID, QA, US

SUBJECT: COUNTRY FINANCED SERVICES--FIRE PREVENTION AND CIVIL  
DISASTER

REF: STATE 108259

1. GOQ APPEARS PLEASED BY REFTEL PROPOSAL. GOQ SUGGESTS THAT SINCE COMMANDER OF FIRE BRIGADE, SHAYKH HAMAD BIN JASIM AL THANI, EXPECTS TO DEPART QATAR O/A JULY 1 FOR APPROXIMATELY ONE MONTH, IT WOULD BE HIGHLY DESIRABLE FOR THE TEAM TO COMPLETE ITS SURVEY BEFORE HIS DEPARTURE SINCE HE IS A KEY PERSON IN DETERMINING NEEDS OF GOQ AND APPROVING FUTURE PROJES. EMBASSY ALSO ENCOURAGES TEAM TO ARRIVE AND COMPLETE ALL, OR AT LEAST MOST OF, ITS WORK BEFORE SHAYKH HAMAD DEPARTS AS HE IS. INDEED, THE KEY DECISION-MAKER IN FIELD OF FIRE PROTECTION.

2. GOQ WOULD GREATLY PREFER TO SIMPLIFY PROPOSED ARRANGEMENTS BS HFWSNG TEAM OBTAIN TICKETS AND VISAS FROM QATARI EMBASSY AND FLY TO DOHA SOONEST TO DEAL DIRECTLY WITH THE PRCPICALS INVOLVED. GOQ IS MOST GRATEFUL FOR AID ASSISTANCE AND EXPERTISE IN LOCATING, AND OBTAINING AGREEMENT OF, NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION (NFPA). GOQ HAS ALREADY ACKNOWLEDGED DEBT TO USG, AND THIS APPRECIATIONCCS BOUND TO CARRY  
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OVER THROUGHOUT PROJECT OF NFPA. IN THE INTERESTS OF SPEEDING UP THE ARRIVAL OF THE TEAM, EMBASSY WOULD ENCOURAGE NFPA TO ACCEPT GOQ OFFXN TO COME OUT AND DEAL DIRECTLY WITH PRINCIPALS. EMBASSY CAN VOUCH FOR GOQ WHICH HAS EBDEALENT RECORD IN ITS DEALING WITH OTHER TEAMS. PLEASE ADVEME.  
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